IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Tarara et al.

Group Art Unit: 1611

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Application No: 09/886,296 Confirmation No: 6348			Examiner: Welter, Rachael E. Attorney Docket No:					
Filed: June 21, 2001			53250-US-CNT[3]					
				September 30, 2011 San Francisco, CA 94107				
Commissioner for Patents				Extension of Time				
PO Box 1450				Applicant requests an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136				
⊠ Request for Consideration after Appeal □ Response to Restriction/Election Requirement □ Notice of Appeal (form PTO/SB31) □ Drawings (Formal) □ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement □ PTO-SB08 Form □ Citations ☑ Terminal Disclaimer □ Preliminary Amendment			Exten	sion (Months)	<u> </u>	Extension Fee		
			□One Month			arge Entity	Small Entity	
						\$150.00	\$75.00	
			Two Months			\$560.00	\$280.00	
			⊔⊺h	ree Months		\$1,270.00	\$635.00	
			Total \$ 0.00					
			☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made in case applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.					
Fees for Extra Claims								
	Claims remaining Highest n			Number Extra		ate	Additional Fee	
					Large Entity	Small Entity		
Total Claims	44	44		0	\$60.00	\$30.00	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	2	2		0	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims				0	\$450.00	\$225.00	\$0.00	
Information Disclosure Statement								
						Total	\$0.00	
Fee Payment				Fee Deficiency ☑ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge				
Extension of Time	\$0.00			Deposit Account No. 10-0258.				
Terminal Disclaimer	\$160.00			and/or ☑ If any additional fee for claims is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0258.				
Total	\$160.00							
☐ Attached is check noin the sum of \$0.00. ☑ Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0258 in the sum of \$160.00.				Please direct telephone calls to: Guy V. Tucker at (415) 538-1555 Please continue to send correspondence to: NOVARTIS				
CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION (37 C.F.R. § 1.8a): I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, facsimile transmitted to (571) 273-8300, or electronically submitted via EFS on the date shown below: By: Date: September 30, 2011				Corporate Intellectual Property One Health Plaza 101/2 East Hanover, NJ 07936-1080 Respectfully Submitted, By:				